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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES AND HAPPENINGS IN TOWN.

Doings of the Various Sets in this City and Its Immediate Vicinity—The Goings and Comings and Other Items of General Interest.

Joe Ryan was in the city several days this week on business.

Fred Duhring, Jr., of Berkeley is spending the holidays with town relatives.

Snow fell on the mountains west of town Friday and Saturday of last week.

Western Logan, formerly of this place, was in town over the week end.

Eric Bateman came up from Berkeley to take in the high school play Thursday.

Miss Mary Springer went to the city Saturday last to do some Christmas shopping.

Miss Georgie Andrews is spending the holidays in Oakland and San Mateo with relatives.

Robt. LaTorres was up from the city and enjoyed Christmas dinner with his folks on Napa street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Murphy were guests of Mrs. M. E. Murphy on Patton street this week.

Misses Alice Young and Florence Rouquie, formerly two popular Sonoma girls, are home for the holidays

Wm. Stofen, chief officer of the steamer "Yucatan," spent Christmas at the home of his mother on Broadway.

Jas. Sterling and "Dutch" Andrieux want to San Francisco the first part of the week and remained several days.

The many friends of Al Jansen will be sorry to hear that he is confined to his home with a severe attack of the quinsy.

A. Rambo, who has been confined in St. Lukes' hospital, returned home Monday evening much improved in health.

J. Bodin, champion rope spinner of the world and recently on the Orpheum circut, was here on business one day last week.

Jas. Goodwine, of the Grand Garage, San Francisco, was the guest of V. Beretta several days the latter part of last week.

Floyd Summers was here from Southern California the fore part of the week, a guest at the Simmons residence on East Second Street.

The play presented in Union Hall on Thursday evening of last week by the students of the Sonoma Valley Union High School was thoroughly enjoyed by the large crowd that attended. Much credit is due both teachers and pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lynch entertained the following relatives from San Francisco and Fresno at their cozy bungalow on Napa street Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Juillerat, Fred Juillerat, mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pera were passengers to the city Sunday morning.

Mrs. L. H. Green was a visitor in San Francisco the fore part of the week.

D. Volquardsen returned from the city Monday evening after a brief visit.

Carlos Emparan and Paul Thomson took a pleasure trip to the Bay City Monday.

Miss Ramona Granice was shopping and visiting in San Francisco Sunday and Monday.

Mr and Mrs. Sam Haven and little daughter spent a pleasant week-end with Oakland relatives.

Mrs. Jack Brown was here from Healdsburg to spend the holidays with her folks Mr. and Mrs. Englund.

S. Sebastiani, the wine man, transacted business in the metropolis one day the fore part of the week.

Miss Floy Welker and little Miss Hazel Glaister were here during the week, guests at the Burris residence.

Miss Ruth Poppe of San Francisco, Ray Poppe of Los Banos and Arthur Case spent Christmas at the J. E. Poppe residence.

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H. H. GRANICE.

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL BONDS CARRY

The Majority was a Corker for Those Who Opposed Them

The result of last Saturday's Grammar school bond election was a great victory for the progressive people of the Sonoma School district, and the Index-Tribune must be excused if this victory looks to it as an endorsement of its policy to do things and relegate senseless agitation for reform to obscurity.

Less than two months ago, or to be more exact, immediately after the fiasco of the Weise recall election had received its quietus at the hands of the electorate of the First Supervisorial district, the Index-Tribune, realizing the folly of the senseless and fruitless agitation that had been waged in this valley the past two or three years by pretended reformers, who needed reforming themselves, took up the fight for a new grammar school building, the Black Point Cut Off and the improvement of Sonoma's historical Plaza for 1915 and not without result if last Saturday's election is a criterion to go by.

From the very outset, with Messrs. Dresel, Thomson and Bill of the grammar school board of trustees behind the $30,000 bond proposition, it was apparent to all that the bonds would carry for one of the most needed public improvements that was ever submitted to the voters of this school district, and that the bonds carried with hands down was no surprise to us.

We congratulate the progressive citizenship of Sonoma Valley on this great victory and assure them that inasmuch as Saturday's special bond election has pointed the way that the Black Point Cut Off and the beautifying of the Sonoma Plaza for 1915 are assured facts.

Sonoma can now be classed with the progressive cities of northern California. It has stood a direct tax for a high school building, a bond proposition for a new City Hall, a sewer system and a public library, all this within the last few years.

In bringing about this great revolution in mossback Sonoma, as it was styled a few years ago, much is due to the ladies who have been given the ballot—we doff our hat to them—for bringing about this changed condition of affairs in the whilom old town of silurianism and non-progressiveness. We are the real thing now when it comes to civic pride and public improvements.

The Hay Market

Somers & Co. in their weekly hay market report under date of December 23rd, report the condition of the hay market as follows:

"Arrivals of hay continue in rather moderate quantities, 1857 tons having arrived during the week ending today, practically the same amount as for the week preceding.

There is very little that can be said at the present time that can interest either the growers or consumers of hay, for the holiday season always makes trading dull in all the large markets and normal conditions are not generally resumed until after the first week in January.

A certain few holders of hay have apparently determined to realize on some of their stock with the result that there have been certain quantities of unneeded hay shipped into San Francisco during the past week, which especial shipments have not brought satisfactory prices. This apparent weakness coupled with the light demand for even the choicest grades on the part of the retailers have given many the impression that prices will be reduced to an old fashioned low basis. We are of the opinion however that in two or three weeks grade conditions should improve and all ordinary shipments to markets will be readily absorbed.

Much still depends upon weather conditions but eliminating these opinions seem to be pretty well divided as to whether the market will see a return of the summer's range or drop to still lower limits.

Piano Turner

B. H. McLaughlin, the well-known expert piono tuner and repairer, will be in Sonoma for a few days. Orders left at McElney's drug store or the Don Theatre will receive prompt attention.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

TO BEAUTIFY THE PLAZA FOR 1915.

Following Suggestions Made in These Columns a few weeks Ago, City Trustees Take Action

Following a suggestion made in the Index-Tribune several weeks ago, there was a special meeting of the Board of City Trustees held on Friday evening of last week to take up the matter of beautifying Sonoma's historical eight-acre plaza for 1915

Mayor M. E. Cummings presided and appointed the following citizens' committee to co-operate with the Board of City Trustees to boost the proposition along: Mrs Carrie Burlingame, President of the Womans Club, Fred. Hansen, Mrs. Pauline McMullin, H. H. Granice, John D. Wagnon and Mrs. Frank Koenig

As a preliminary to raising the wherewithal for the beautifying of the Plaza, a grand entertainment and hop will be held in Union Hall on the evening of January 9th, under the management of the above committee.

For this occasion, Mr. and Mrs. Landers Stevens of the Orpheum Circuit, who have a country home in Woodleaf Park, opposite Boyes Springs, have very generously donated their valuable services These popular stars will be assisted by local talent and it goes without the saying that a rich treat is in store for the theatre-going and amusement loving people of this valley.

As the object of the entertainment and dance is a praiseworthy one we expect to see a big turnout on the evening in question.

Next week further particulars will be given, which will include the names of those who will take part and the program in general.

Sonoma Native Sons and the Homeless Children's Fund.

The recent minstrel show given here in aid of the Homeless Children's Fund, under the auspices of Sonoma Parlor, No. 111, N. S. G. W., netted the neat sum of $54.10.

The following letter acknowledging the receipt of the funds, has been received by L. H. Green, Secretary of Sonoma Parlor:

San Francisco, Dec. 19, 1913.

L. A. Green, Esq.,
Sec., Sonoma Parlor No. 111. N. S. G. W.
Sonoma, California.

My dear Mr. Green:—

Your check for $54.10 was received this morning and we are enclosing receipt for same. You certainly are to be congratulated upon the splendid success of your minstrel show, and the fact that the affair was well advertised means more than anything else. Some Parlors are giving from their funds, and losing sight of the original intent to do this very thing, advertise the work we are doing. There is no doubt in my mind as a result of your work we shall have many applications for children and rest assured, as the result of your generosity we shall be able to place several children in good homes.

Over four hundred good homes have been found for our children You will be interested in the copy of the enclosed letter, if you have not already seen it in the "Grizzly Bear."

With very best wishes for the success of your good work, I am,

Sincerely and fraternally yours,
MARY E. BRUSIE.
Sec. Central Committee.

St. Francis Church

On Sunday, December 28th, Mass at Sonoma 10:30. Mass at Glen Ellen 8:45.

New Years Day, Mass at Glen Ellen 8:45. Mass at Sonoma 10:30.

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MARRIED ON CHRISTMAS DAY.

Miss Mae Englund of this City Becomes the Bride of Henry G. Brown of Santa Rosa.

The nuptials of Miss Mae Englund, one of Sonoma's most popular and beautiful girls, and Henry J. Brown of Santa Rosa was solemnized at the home of the bride here on Christmas day by the Rev. T. M. Price, pastor of the Congregational Church.

The wedding was a quiet affair to which only relatives and a few immediate friends of the contracting parties were bidden.

The bride was handsomely gowned in a tailor made suit and was given away by her father, E. Englund. After a sumptuous wedding dinner, the happy young couple departed on the afternoon train for a short honeymoon trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown upon their return will make their future home in Santa Rosa, where the groom is a trusted employee of the California Telephone and Light Company.

The many friends of the couple wish them much prosperity and happiness during their wedded life

EL VERANO ITEMS.

James Baines is in the Bay City on business this week.

Joseph Kearney was a visitor to the city of Santa Rosa Tuesday.

Frank Sprague of Sonoma was a visitor here Friday on legal business.

Miss Myrtle Minkel is home from San Francisco spending the holidays.

Frank LaFranchi was a passenger for this burg on Friday's passenger train.

Tony Serres of Alden Glen Springs was visiting his brother here Tuesday.

Mike Brennen of San Francisco is taking a winter vacation at the Bellevue Hotel

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CHAS. STORNETTI,
Sonoma, Cal.
November 4, 1913.

A Christmas Thought.

EDNA POPPE

There's a thought in my heart that's sweeter
Than the world's sweetest flowers are,
There's a prayer in my heart that's higher
Than the home of the highest star.
It is fraught with a wondrous meaning
Far broader than all the earth,
'Tis a thought for the season—Christmas—
May the Christ, in our hearts find birth.

And the wise men will kneel in wonder
In spite of your humble fold,
And the elders for years will ponder
O'er truths that our lips have told.
While the rich man will find our treasures
To him are of greater worth,
Let our limitless love awaken
And the Christ in our hearts find birth.

We'll be often bereft; forsaken,
Rejected, despised, in vain,
For the Strengthening Angel follows
To lift up our faith again.
In the garden of prayer and patience
Is lightened each cross of earth,
Just a thought for the season, Christmas!
May the Christ in our hearts find birth.

Dance at Glen Ellen a Grand Success

In spite of the wet weather last Saturday evening, the X-mas tree ball at Harry's Inn, Glen Ellen, brought out a large crowd from all over the valley. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion in holly berries and ferns and at one end stood an immense Xmas tree loaded to overflowing with all sorts of appropriate gifts, which during the evening were distributed among the merry makers. The music was furnished by Bailey's orchestra of four pieces and rendered all the latest selections. A fine dinner was served at midnight in the dining room and dancing was then resumed until 3 o'clock These affairs each time are becoming more popular under the able direction of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilkins.

Local Brevities.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Craib (nee Thierkoff) of Glen Ellen, were presented with a baby girl last Thursday.

A most delightful afternoon was spent by the Rosebud Club at the home of Miss Matelda Boccala. A friend of one of the members called on the girls with his "Winton six" and took them out for a spin through the valley. When they returned covers for twelve was set and refreshments were served.

Congregational Church, Dec. 28

The everlasting arms are underneath Saint and sinner. The Christian does not claim a monopoly. His Bible would not permit him to do this. He merely claims a disposition to try and keep grateful to God who is the giver of every good and perfect gift.

The eternal God is the dwelling place of every member of the human race and we forget the fact and stand for the reason of forgetfulness instead of the reason of truth. This subject will be the theme of the morning service at 11 a. m.

Miss Calderwood will be the leader of the Y. P. S. C. E. next Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m.

The rain did not permit us to preach last Sunday night and we will try again. God gave men gifts to throw off the influence of this world and become more than conquerers. We will tell which is the best gift at the 7:30 p. m. service next Sunday.

T. M. Price, Pastor.

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United States Senator Geo. C. Perkins has sent thisoffice for free distribution a quanity of vegetable seeds. They consist of beans, lettuce, muskmelon, onion and radish seeds. If you want a package of these seeds call and get them.

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Predicts a Marked Improvement In California and the Pacific Coast

President William Sproule of the Southern Pacific Company, who has returned from a trip to New York, has come back as optimistic as ever about prospects in California and the Pacific Coast in 1914. He explains the present unsettled financial condition as due caution on the part of the public based upon apprehenson. With fine crops guaranteed as a result of bountiful rains, he predicts that there will be a marked improvement in the next season. In an interview upon his return, Sproule said:

"The effect of the tariff, which we are hoping will be beneficial in a broad sense, still remains to be determined. A currency bill will pass and the effects of it are being actively debated, although very few understand the subject. What will be the solution of the Mexican trouble is a grave question. Whether we shall have to pour men and treasure into Mexico or whether peace in that country can be obtained independently is a cause for misgiving. All these things and other incidental causes pertaining chiefly to congress have slowed down business and restricted credits to a great extent. The decline in railroad earnings, gross and net, have aroused alarm which finds free expression in the daily press throughout the nation. We need not be surprised that business is not so active on the Pacific Coast as we usually find it because on the Pacific Coast we are borrowers. The railroads are large borrowers in order to provide for betterments and improvements generally. They feel the tightening of the money market as much, or even more, than any other business because their needs are greater. In all industries that require capital for their development and their expansion, money is wanted on this coast. The condition of retraction, however, is a temporary one so far as this coast is concerned. In California, generous rains so far this season have been fully what were required and the prospect for heavy plantings, in addition to our present horticultural and agricultural resources was never better. Our sister state, Oregon, has enjoyed bountiful crops that sold at high prices and another such harvest combined with good crops in California will make 1914 a banner year.

If the people only knew what laws Congress will enact and if these laws were only out of the way and done with, there seems to be no reason to doubt that the nation would resume its normal business activity, if indeed we do not have something of a boom following the pronounced contraction of the past.

"Regarding the retrenchment rumor it is true that when the company's earnings are shrinking and expenses increasing we have to readjust ourselves to that condition. It cannot be better expressed than by the old proverb about cutting the coat to fit the cloth. The railroad is merely a paymaster. If we are not earning the money, we cannot distribute it. We pay in the state of California 76 cents out of every dollar we earn in the state. Our disbursements in the city of San Francisco approximate a million dollars a month. As our earnings increase or decline, the community is bound to feel it. I am happy to express the belief that the people of California generally and the people of that city have some understanding of this is an appreciable factor in their business. We hope and strive for better times. The communities in helping us are helping themselves. As the Christmas period of good will approaches I cannot but feel grateful for the cordial feeling manifested toward the company and myself during the year by the shippers and travelers generally and by all with whom we have to do."

A news item in a morning paper recently said that the grave of J. P. Morgan is guarded by an armed guard. We wonder if the heirs are afraid J. P. will come to life again?

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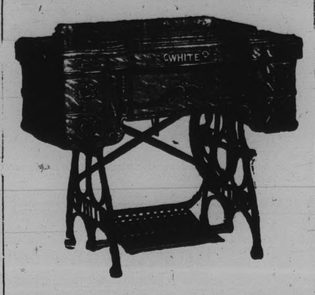

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Second Monday in October

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November

Thereafter at 6 o,clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto 15 per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one half is not paid before the

Last Monday in April

next at 6 o'clock p. m., an additional 5 per cent will be added thereto; that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January

next and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April

next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto, 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Second—That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installments, as herein provided is due and payable.

Third—That the place at which payment of taxes may be made will be at the office of the Tax Collector in the Court House at Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California.

F. M. COLLINS, Tax Collector

Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company

Official Time Schedule.

Leave Sonoma.	Effective NOV. 15, 1913 TO AND FROM	Arrive Sonoma
DAILY		DAILY.
7 20 A M	San Francisco San Rafael and Intermediates	10 29 A M
3 40 P M		6.59 P M
	Glen Ellen and Intermediates.	10 29 AM
		6 59 P M
7 20 A M	Novato Petaluma Santa Rosa and Intermediates.	10.29 A M
3.40 P M		6.59 P M
7.20 A M	Cloverdale Healdsburg Lytton and Intermediates.	10.29 A M
3.40 P M		6.59 P M
7 20 A M	Ukiah and Intermediates	10 29 A M
3.40 P M		6.59 P M
7.20 A M	Willits and Sherwood	6.59 P M
7 20 A M	Sebastopol and Intermediates.	10.29 A M
3.40 P M		6.59 P M
7.20 A M	Guerneville and Intermediates.	6 59 A M
3 40 P M		

SUNDAYS.

Leave Sonoma	Arrive Sonoma
7.20 A M	10.29 A M
4.17 A M	6.59 P M

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VINEBURG NEWS ITEMS

"Easy Jim" Tells in an Interesting Way all About the Week's Happenings in and Around His Section of the Valley.

Miss Mary Batto is at present the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Batto, from the city.

Deputy Assessor Howard Knight of Schellvill transacted business at Batto's Spur on Tuesday.

Rain is at present holding back considerable work in the way of improvments in this vicinity.

Vineburg has been rather quiet for a few days as a great many folks will spend the holidays with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGill of Schellville were the guests of Mrs. P. L. McGill at her cosey home on the Napa road Christmas Day.

Toney Kiser, one of the N. W. P. R. R's most trusted employees, is now assistant to car inspector Frank McGill at Schellville. Two right men in the place they shine.

E. Forni of Pleasant Villa went duck hunting one day last week and he says he had pretty fair luck, but that the two scarecrows he had with him didn't know their business very well.

The inclement state of the weather last Sunday done much to dampen the enjoyment of many visitors to this burg on that day. Don't worry, people, Vineburg was not the only place that was damp.

Carrie Carleton telephones me that the Five O'clock Tea Club didn't hold a meeting this week and that she has no news for me. Well, Carrie, don't worry. Just wait till the Coffee Coolers Club meet and then we will have lots of news.

The following residents of this place took Tuesday morning's train for the metropolis: Messrs. Walter Bundschu, Enrico Forni, Fred Batto, James Stonnier, Louis Klapperick and John Murray, Mesdames John Batto, Louis Klapperick and others.

Charles Saylor, the able and popular section foreman of the N. W. P. R. R, is a very busy man during this kind of weather and with his section gang has all he can attend to, but Charlie don't mind that as he knows his business and he attends to it also.

Carl Weishaar, who has been ill for some time past, is now fully recovered and was shaking hands with his many Vineburg friends one day last week. Carl was well-known as the popular and genial proprietor of the favorite One Mile House in days gone by.

Two of our young society men, Lawrence Hunter and Oscar Studley, will spend their Christmas holidays in Los Angles. As they started for the City of Angeles on last Monday afternoon they said they wished to see the country between here and there, so they traveled by water all night. Guess they must have taken searchlights with them. Merry time, boys, and safe return home to old Sonoma Valley.

On Friday evening of last week an accident occured at Batto's Spur. While the crew of the freight train were backing in several heavily loaded cars on the spur the rails spread which caused the engine to leave the track. Conductor Johnson and engineer Skinner, with the assistance of the train crew, lost no time in getting the engine back on the rails again and in place. Those boys know their business alright and deserve great credit.

EASY JIM.

Vineburg, Dec. 25, 1913.

GLEN ELLEN NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Cobb are visiting friends in the Bay City.

Dr. George O'Donell will remain on his ranch here until after the first of January.

The late rain has raised the Glen Ellen creek higher than it has been in the last four years.

Chas. Lane of this place has [illegible] business of [illegible] will close the store until the first of the coming year and will open with a large stock of general merchandise.

Mr. and Mrs. Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Bradeley, Wm. Monahan, Mr. O'Rourke and Miss B. Monahan spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. E. Monahan and all enjoyed a good old Christmas time dinner.

The Xmas dance at Harry's Inn, Chauvet Hall, last Saturday evening was spent in all hands dancing to the small hours in the morning and every one had a good time. The jumbo Christmas tree with its 100 odd presents had every one in good humor.

This town was placed in gloom over the sad accident that befell the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Chauvet, who was accidently shot and almost instantly killed by his younger brother last Tuesday evening. Young Chauvet was a good boy and was one who would have made a name for himself as he was very bright.

LOCAL BREVITIES

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Fred Hansen and Victor Beretta left for San Francisco Wednesday evening to spend Christmas with friends in the city.

Lewis & Cummings have received a choice lot of sugar-cured hams [illegible] they are offering for 19c [illegible] while they last.

CALENDAR DAY IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Matters Disposed of by Judges Seawell and Denny in Both Departments.

Department One, Hon. Emmet Seawell Presiding

Ida M. Hall vs Elizabeth Hall, demurrer submitted.

City of Sonoma vs Sonoma Valley Water, Light and Power Co., continued to December 29.

J. B. Kent et al vs W. Ross et al, continued to December 29.

I. F. Chapman vs California Newton, continued to December 29.

Genevieve Beggs vs J. K. Smith et al, continued to January 5.

Ande Nowlin vs J. K. Smith et al, continued to January 5.

Cora Williams vs Henry B. Williams, continued to December 20.

Jennie Dibble vs Leroy Dibble, continued to December 29.

Anna Furtado vs J. J. Furtado, devorce granted.

People of California vs Joe Whitfield, pleads guilty; continued to December 29

People of California vs Henry Dahlkvest, continued to December 29.

People of California vs E. R. McCarty, continued to December 29.

Ex-parte Proceedings

Matson vs John Batto & Sons, demurrer entered.

Department Two, Hon. Thos. C. Denny Presiding.

Estate Joseph Buzzini, incompetent, continued to December 22.

Estate Donald D. Nye, minor, account of guardian settled and allowed

Estate Vincenzo Readal, deceased petition to set aside estate of widow granted.

Estate S. L. Osborn, deceased, distribution ordered.

Estate George Brittain et al., minors, third annual account allowed.

Estate Milton Albert Peterson, minor, continued to December 29

Estate Mary C. Kunz, deceased, first annual account allowed.

Estate Thomas Elphick, deceased continued to December 29.

Estate Louise Elizabeth Tidball, deceased, supplemental decree of distribution ordered.

Estate Isaac Kuffel, deceased, continued to reset.

General Calendar

Felix M. E. Locher vs F. F. McGovern, continued to December 29.

F. L Bigelow vs Mary E. Bigelow, continued to December 29

Grace Rosa Clapp vs Augustus H Clapp, demurrer overruled.

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Leon Henry Chauvet, the fourteen year-old son of Mr and Mrs. Henry J. Chauvet of Glen Ellen, met a sudden and unexpected death at the hands of his nine-year-old brother last Tuesday afternoon at the Chauvet home.

The younger lad was toying with a 22-calibre parlor rifle when it suddenly went off, the bullet piercing the skull of his brother Leon and inflected a wound which caused his death two hours after.

The terrible accident took place at a time when the home of the Chauvet family had been decorated for a glad holiday and which has now been turned into one of woe and sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauvet, who have many friends in this valley have the sincere sympathy of all that know them in the hour of their sorrow.

The funeral of the lad took place from St. Francis Church in this city yesterday and was largely attended. The interment was in Mountain Cemetery.

SCHELLVILLE ITEMS.

Edgar Clements is here from U. C. to spend the holidays.

Jack Watt of Oakland visited Schellville friends Monday.

Mrs. Jas. Tate made a brief visit to the Bay Cities on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Clements and son, Victor, visited in the metropolis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Tate entertained a number of relatives Christmas week.

James Kehoe of San Francisco is visiting Schellville friends over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGill and son, Stanley, spent Xmas at the McGill Cottage on the Napa road.

Mrs. Tony Keiser and her five children left for Oakland Wednesday to spend Xmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs Jake Schomacher and two children spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe at Sonoma.

Our school teacher, Miss Mildred Burchard, is spending her vacation with Berkeley and San Francisco friends.

The many friends of Mrs. Wm. Church will be sorry to hear that she is confined to her home with a severe attack of rehumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Erhard Steiger and daughter, Evelyn were guests on Christmas day at the Kearney and Dowdall family reunion.

Although last Sunday was stormy Schellville babies were well represented at the Christmas tree given by the Catholic Ladies' Aid. It was a great success.

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Administrators of the estate of Louis Peterson, deceased.

Dated at El Verano, December 20th, 1913
ROBERT A. POPPE, attorney for estate.
First publication, December 20th, 1913

CAPTURES SAFE-CRACKER WITH GOODS ON HIM.

Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan Lands the Crook After a Desperate and Exciting Chase--- Supposed to be an Old Offender.

For the second time the past few years Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan, Sonoma's intrepid peace officer, has captured alone and unaided two desperate safe-crackers, who blew up and looted the office safe of the Northwestern Pacific Railroad in this city.

His latest capture was made at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. It happened in this way: Several years ago the railway officials, tiring of having their safe in the depot building dynamited and looted by safe-crackers, had an electric burglar alarm contrivance connected from its office at the depot to the sleeping room of Deputy Sheriff Ryan in the Union Stables.

It was less than three months after the alarm had been installed when on a dark night the officer was awakened by the buzzing of the alarm and jumping from his couch near the midnight hour he seized his sawed-off shotgun and hurrying to the depot alone and unaided succeeded in capturing the burglar immediately after he had blown open the safe. He handcuffed his prisoner and took him to the city jail, locked him up and subsequently had him sent to the penitentiary for a long term of years.

The capture made yesterday was almost similar to that narrated above. In the latter case the criminal came within an ace of making good his get-away. But he didn't, though. The burglar alarm warned the officer this time, as it did on the first occasion that the ticket office of the Northwestern Pacific had been entered by a midnight marauder. Seizing his shotgun the fearless officer started for the depot but just before reaching the railroad reservation there was a loud explosion in the ticket office and immediately after the safe-cracker rushed out of the building in an effort to make his get away. The burglar headed down the track toward Buena Vista Station with the officer in hot pursuit. He had considerable of a start on officer Ryan, who took a round about course in order to head the fleeing man off and bring him to bay.

The explosion had awakened E Eraldi of the Star Saloon, opposite the depot, and securing his assistance the brave officer kept on the trail of the fugitive. As they neared the stone bridge near the Bulotti residence they heard the safe-cracker coming down the creek and paused to locate him. In a few seconds he was seen to cross the bridge and enter a path leading to the Murphy tract. Immediately after officer Ryan, being within shooting distance, fired a shot over the head of the fleeing man, who immediately threw up his hands and surrendered, and was taken to the city jail and locked up.

The scene of the man's crime was then visited and it was found that he had blown the face of the safe all to pieces with nitroglycerine and had secured $80 in coin and a number of valuable papers. The latter were found alongside the railroad track opposite the Sonoma Brewery The money, however, he had thrown away and could not be found up to the hour of going to press.

Upon the prisoner was found a rain coat stolen from the section house near the depot and six skeleton keys, which would go to show that the man is a professional. Ingress was gained into the railroad office by cutting a hole in the panel of the door, which enabled the cracksman to insert his hand in the opening and unlatch the spring lock. He had then drilled a hole into the face of the safe and covering it with wet sacks, rain coats and old blankets stolen from the tool house to deaden the sound of the explosion and applied the fuse. It was while getting out of harms way pending the explosion that the safe cracker gave the alarm that aroused Deputy Sheriff Ryan from his deep slumbers and was his undoing.

The man is about 45 years of age and says his name is Joe Bragg. He is evidently an old offender. He will be arraigned before Judge Campbell today

SONOMA COUNTY'S HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS.

The Highway Commission of Sonoma County consisting of Messrs W. B. Whitney, of Healdsburg, J. Edgar Allen, of Petaluma, J. C. Parsons of anta Rosa, who were appointed at about the end of the summer, has been proceeding as required by the law, to inspect the roads of the county and prepare a comprehensive plan for their improvement. A system of improved roads in Sonoma County will do more than any form of advertising to make the great wealth and other resources, as well as the unrivalled pleasure grounds, known to the people of the State. If transportation facilities were improved, great inducement would be offered to homeseekers, to come and stay with us and in place of hundreds of summer visitors to the Russian river and coast section, there would be thousands and tens of thousands. Under conditions as they are at present the transfer of improved property to newcomers is knocked by the condition of the roads, and in the remote sections no one but an expert driver or a foolhardy one is willing to risk the life of his family and himself by driving an automobile over the present poorly laid out mountain roads.

Realizing that there is a small chance of bettering conditions under the old methods, the Highway Commission, with the co-operation of the Board of Supervisors, are preparing and planning estimates for improving a large mileage of road. In this estimate old and well established lines of traffic as well as new roads laid out to correct the present bad grades are being considered. The Highway Commission with the approval of the Board of Supervisors, has engaged the firm of Hunter and Morton, engineers, under whose direction two million dollars was expended for road improvement in San Joaquin County The engineers have placed several surveying parties in the field and are gathering the necessary data as rapidly as possible. Roads between Santa Rosa and Sebastopol and Freestone and between Sebastopol and Petaluma as well as as a road to Occidental, have already been surveyed. A survey is just being completed from Healdsburg to Forestville. The road leading from Petaluma to Bloomfield is being considered and the survey will be finished shortly. Recently a trip of inspection was made by the Highway Commission, and their engineers to Cazadero, and from that point by team to Gualala.

Besides the roads mentioned all the main traveled public roads are receiving a thorough investigation and consideration, it being the purpose of the Highway Commission, to prepare a plan which will accomodate the local as well as the through traffic.

It is the desire of the Highway Commission to keep the public informed as to their actions, and visitors are always welcome at their office in the Court House. The Commission will be glad to meet those who have ideas in regard to the relocation or the improvement of stretches of road, for they realize that they must depend to a large extent upon the knowledge of the residents of the county for the information, in regard to local conditions.

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The above incident although strange, recalls a similar case which happened in the early eighties, when a noted trotting horse named Norbuc died in Napa Co. He was the property of Cap. Merritt a wealthy and philanthropic turfman of Louisville, Ky., who admiring the qualities of the horse, had the remains encased in a costly box and shipped back to the green fields of the blue grass state, where they were interred on the same farm where the horse was raised and frolicked when he was a colt.

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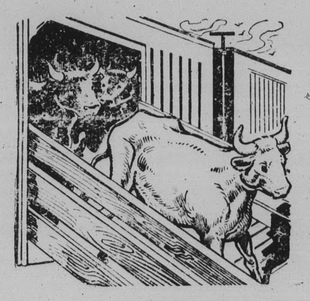

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